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Honorable Richard M. Berman United States District Court Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, New York 10007

Re: Securities and Exchange Commission v. Ross B. Shapiro et al Case No. 15-cv-07045 (RMB)

Dear Judge Berman:

Alston & Bird LLP represents Defendant Tyler G. Peters in the above referenced matter. Please be advised that Craig Carpenito was appointed as Interim United States Attorney for the District of New Jersey, effective January 5, 2018 and is no longer affiliated with Alston & Bird LLP.

I therefore request that the Court remove Craig Carpenito's name from the Court's docket and electronic case filing system for this action. Brett D. Jaffe, David Carl Wohlstadter, and I of Alston & Bird LLP will remain as counsel for Tyler G. Peters.

Sincerely,

Joe Tully